From: Salemi, Charles (DPH)

**Sent:** Thursday, June 02, 2011 10:16 AM

**To:** Nassif, Julianne (DPH)

Cc: O'Brien, Elisabeth (DPH); Saunders, Della (DPH)

**Subject:** RE: Data Destruction

Hi Julie, Paul Walsh is going to be shredding old data next week. I would suggest that all analytical data over 15 years be documented and destroyed as per department policy. I do think that the laboratory cards should be saved as they contain significant information for each case and they do not take up much room. We still get calls from agencies for information regarding deportations and other issues that the cards are helpful with. CBS

From: Nassif, Julianne (DPH)

**Sent:** Thursday, May 26, 2011 1:54 PM

To: O'Brien, Elisabeth (DPH); Saunders, Della (DPH); Salemi, Charles (DPH)

**Subject:** Re: Data Destruction

We did agree on five but you were not in that day and I was supposed to run it by you. Let's talk tomorrow

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From: O'Brien, Elisabeth (DPH)

**Sent**: Thursday, May 26, 2011 01:42 PM

To: Saunders, Della (DPH); Salemi, Charles (DPH)

**Cc**: Nassif, Julianne (DPH) **Subject**: RE: Data Destruction

Did we come to an agreement on how long we are going to save data here on the premises? I know 5 years was discussed but I'm wondering if we should consider a longer length of time. I think I would lean more towards 7/8 years as space allows?

**ELO** 

From: Saunders, Della (DPH)

**Sent:** Thursday, May 26, 2011 1:34 PM

To: Salemi, Charles (DPH); O'Brien, Elisabeth (DPH)

**Cc:** Nassif, Julianne (DPH) **Subject:** Data Destruction

## Good Afternoon Everyone,

On Wednesday I went to the stockroom to organize the data for archiving. There were several boxes that were over 15 years old. Paul Walsh will have this data shredded for us in June. The data to be destroyed is as follows:

**Drug Receipts** 

2/16/89-4/28/89 319480-324966

Box #5000 1/2/92-3/26/92 384935-390532

Box #5001 2/27/92-6/23/92 390383-395612

Box #5002 6/24/92-9/19/92 395613-400352

Box #5003 9/21/92-12/3/92 400353-404691

Box #5004 12/4/92-3/3/93 404692-409292

Box # 5005 4/93-5/28/93 409293-413974

Box #5006 6/1/93-7/30/93 413975-417642 Box #5007 8/2/93-9/30/93 417643-421672 Box #5008 10/1/93-12/31/93 421673-426806 Box #5009 1/3/94-3/21/94 426853-431390 Box #5010 3/22/94-5/31/94 431391-435450 Box #5011 6/1/94-8/31/94 435451-440754 Box #5012 9/1/94-11/15/94 440755-445777 Box #5013 11/16/94-1/31/95 445778-450558 Box #5014 2/1/95-3/31/95 450559-455080 Box #5015 4/1/95-5/31/95 455081-459137 Box #5016 6/1/95-8/7/95 459138-463853 Box #5017 8/8/95-9/29/95 463854-468187 Box 5018 10/2/95-11/30-95 468188-472805 Box #5019 12/1/95-2/15/96 472806-477662 Box #5020 2/16/96-4/30/96 477663-482957

The data to be archived are arranged chronologically on pallets in the stockroom. Paul said that we can leave them there until they are ready to be archives at JFK. I'll start working in archiviing chemist's data next week. Please let me know if you have any specific instructions or ideas on how to handle this.

Thanks, Della